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BULLETIN OF THE MONTH

How to Buy Beef Steaks Home and Garden Bulletin No. 145

This well-illustrated bulletin contains helpful information for consumers on how to select beef steaks by cut and by USDA Grade. It also gives the best cooking methods to use.

FARMERS' BULLETINS

Vetch culture and uses. (F 1740) 22 p. 15¢.

New scientific information is included in this revision. The bulletin discusses the various kinds of vetch, their uses, climate and soil conditions required for their development, when and how to seed, methods of obtaining seeds, and diseases and insects harmful to vetch.

Growing pumpkins and squashes. (F 2086) 21 p. 15ϕ .

Soil requirements, varieties, mixing of varieties, culture, curing, and storing are some of the major subjects presented in this bulletin. It is well illustrated and has easy-to-follow instructions for the control of diseases, insects and root knot.

Swine production. (F 2166) 30 p. 15¢. Detailed information on sound prac-

tices of breeding, feeding, and management for swine producers.

Varieties of alfalfa. (F 2231) 12 p. 10¢.

This bulletin describes the principal varieties of alfalfa. It tells where and by whom each was developed and gives the release dates.

Commercial growing of asparagus. (F 2232) 22 p. 15ϕ .

Bulletin tells how to grow asparagus for use as a fresh vegetable as well as a canned or frozen product. Cultural practices and preparation of the crop for market are also discussed. Pests and diseases are described and control methods suggested.

LEAFLETS

Commercial growing of horseradish. (L 547) 6 p. 35¢.
This leaflet gives basic information

This leaflet gives basic information about growing, marketing, and using horseradish.

HOME AND GARDEN BULLETINS

Family fare, food management and recipes. (G 1) 80 p. 30¢.

In this publication you'll find: A daily food guide (a simple, workable presentation of the kinds and amounts of foods to have each day); tips on meal planning; helpful information on buying, storing, measuring, and using foods; a selection of recipes (main dishes, vegetables, salads, soups, sauces, breads, sandwiches, desserts) plus

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variations of some of these recipes; menu suggsetions; and a list of cooking terms.

Planning your home lighting. (G 138) 22 p. 20¢.

This bulletin gives information on how to plan effective lighting. Included are: Up-to-date facts and suggestions on light sources, portable lamps, fixtures, and structural lighting; wiring, maintaining and improving present lighting; and photographs and illustrated sketches.

Selecting shrubs for shady areas. (G 142) 16 p. 10¢.

Describes and illustrates 32 shrubs that can be grown in shady areas throughout the United States. It gives information on the use, soil and moisture requirements, hardiness in different zones, kinds of shade required, and planting and care of shrubs.

How to buy beef steaks. (G 145) 16 p. 10¢. See Bulletin of the Month.

How to buy butter. (G 148) Folder. 5ϕ .

Bulletin describes quality characteristics of butter and the quality assurance of the USDA grade shield. Gives tips to the consumer on buying, storing, and using.

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